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University of West Florida

Central Utility Plant Switchgear and Facility—\$3.2 million

- **Mission Critical Project:** Central Utility Plant provides power, heating and cooling to campus.
- The switchgear serves **all but 5 buildings** on the main campus.
- Recent evaluation by Dell Consulting showed signs of failure and that replacement of the switchgear should begin as soon as possible.
- With proper maintenance and servicing, the **50-year-old** switchgear has exceeded its expected service life.



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- **Critical to academic and research** functions of the University.
- Will provide power distribution, heating and cooling for **another 40-50 years** for the entire main campus.
- Due to possibility of the switchgear failing, UWF has developed a contingency plan that will be in place before the end of 2017.
- Estimated completion date: **Summer 2020**

